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In re Application of: Steven D. Goedeke et al.

For: AUTOMATIC VOICE AND DATA RECOGNITION FOR IMPLANTED MEDICAL DEVICE

Serial No.: 09/731,178 Filed: December 6, 2000

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2004, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on May 25, 2004.

PATENT DOCKET NO.: P-8896.00 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL In re Application of: Steven D. Goedeke et al. For: AUTOMATIC VOICE AND DATA RECOGNITION FOR IMPLANTED MEDICAL DEVICE Serial No.: 09/731,178 Filed: December 6, 2000 CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 51.8 I hereby certify that this Amendment and Transmittal and the paper(s), as described herein are being sent to telefacsimile No. (703) 872-9314, Art Unit 2654, Examiner Smlts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this day of ________, 2003. rolly Chlipick Signature Molly Chlebeck Printed Name Mail Stop NON-FEE AMENDMENT . **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 * Response that was apparently overlooked and Should be considered with current response. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: We are transmitting herewith the attached: **AMENDMENT** X Applicant hereby petitions for one-months' extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this petition therefor. Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 in the amount of \$ fee. Please charge any additional fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 13-2546 which may have been overlooked on X this Amendment Transmittal with regard to this filing. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed. Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please X consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time. Daniel G. Chapik, Reg. No. 43,424

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Responsive to the Office Communication dated August 21, 2003, indicating a Non-Compliant Amendment. Applicants hereby resubmits the earlier filed Response with the requested changes. The earlier Response addressed mailed April 10, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the attached pages and consider the following remarks.

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